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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Many Short Items Concerning Some People You Know.

Mrs. Boude is visiting in San Francisco and Oakland this week.

J. C. Kinslow was in town from Santa Rosa this week on business.

Mrs. L. Banks, of Hopland, was a visitor in town the first of the week.

A. D. Duffy, of Alpine, was domiciled at the Cecille one day this week.

Messrs. Banks, Keim and Joslin were in town from Laughlin last Saturday on business.

Elisha Finney is here from Newville on a short holiday vacation to relatives and friends.

Frank Duncan and wife came up from Hopland Tuesday to attend the funeral of John McMurry.

C. R. Thomas came down from Van Arsdale's last Tuesday to attend the funeral of John McMurry.

B. Pembreton and wife are over from Cleone on a visit to relatives in Potter valley and in this city.

T. R. Bolden and S. J. Burwash were over from the central coast section this week attending to business.

Z. P. Millintgon and family are stopping in town for a few weeks waiting for the Professor's school to open.

Judge Pennington was in town from Willits this week on business. He is also editor of the Little Lake Herald.

Iver A. Iversen, teacher of the Boonville school, was in town last Saturday for a few hours attending to business.

W. T. Eddie and Frank Rupe were down from Potter the first of the week attending to matters of importance to them.

Bert and Earl Diamond, nephews of Mrs. McMurry, came up from Vallejo to attend the funeral of John McMurry last Tuesday.

H. B. Muir, W. T. Saxon and C. A. Irvine came down from Willits Tuesday to attend the funeral of their old friend John McMurry.

Mrs. E. M. Ford presented her husband with an eight-pound baby girl last week, and Marvin is stepping high these days.

Dr. Robert Thomas, who has been laid up for the past few weeks on account of a severe attack of rheumatism, is now convalescent.

H. B. Hickey and his two sons Henry and Edward, and Miles Standish, were in town from Albion this week. They were guests at the Cecille.

Sheriff R. R. Veale and wife, of Contra Costa county, were in town last Sunday on a short visit. The sheriff brought up a patient for the local asylum.

John Flanagan, a former supervisor from Mendocino, was called to the county seat this week to attend to some business matters of interest to his section of the county.

R. W. Pickle was among the prominent farmers in town from Potter valley the latter part of last week. He paid this office a pleasant visit and renewed for another year.

Miss Maybelle Hirsch came up from the bay last Sunday and paid a visit to her parents in this city. She has a splendid position as bookkeeper for a prominent firm in Oakland.

Former Court Reporter Lafferty was here from Santa Rosa this week acting as court reporter in an important case. Fred has many friends in town who are always glad to greet him.

J. R. La Rue and wife came over from Sacramento Tuesday to attend the funeral of John McMurry. Mrs. La Rue was a daughter of Mr. McMurry. They returned home yesterday.

Miss Madge Ellis spent last week in the city making additions to the firm's millinery stock.

Mrs. J. B. Sanford paid a visit to the metropolis last week returning home Sunday evening.

Fred S. Holman came down from Willits Wednesday to attend to some business matters of importance.

Joe H. Smith was in town from Calpella this week on business. He reports things quiet in his community.

J. B. Sanford left yesterday for San Jose to attend the regular meeting of the board of trustees of the State Normal school, having been appointed to the position of trustee last week by Governor Pardee.

Misses Blanche Willits and Maud Cummings have returned to their homes at Fort Bragg. The young ladies made many friends here during the several months they were attending Mrs. Porterfield's normal school.

Miss Jessie Standley and Miss Ernestine Holliday came up from the bay last Sunday evening to spend the holidays with relatives and friends. Miss Standley is now one of the teachers in the San Francisco Normal school and is making quite a record in her work, all of which is very pleasing to her many friends here.

SHOULD PATRONIZE HOME MERCHANTS

Ukiah merchants have never in the history of the town had a more magnificent display of holiday goods than are on exhibition this week. Every window in town is resplendent in holiday garb and the multitude of suitable goods for the Christmas trade covers a range extensive enough to fit the purse of rich or poor. Our merchants have been reaping a great harvest this season as the difficulty in securing goods in the city has compelled those who have usually done their Christmas shopping in San Francisco to rely upon the stock of the home merchants to satisfy their demands. To these people the experience has been an eye opener. They never realized before that they could do so well at home, and the merchants will profit therefrom in the future.

Should Be Encouraged

Henry McKenzie has about completed the work of rebuilding the Gualala bridge, and it is a good job and the contractors were fortunate in securing Mr. McKenzie to superintend the work, as it is one of the best that the county has ever had done in all the history of bridge building. Let us have more of such work. Men like Mr. McKenzie can do as good work as foreign bridge builders. He and the contractors are to be congratulated upon the good work.

Christmas Services

There will be Christmas services at St. John's M. E. Church, next Sunday. Morning theme, "The Wise Men of the East." Evening theme, "Shall Herod or Jesus be King?" The following music will be rendered at the morning service: Voluntary, Mrs. Mable Smith; Anthem, "And there were Shepherds;" Hymns, "Creation, Silent Night;" Baritone Solo, "Callest Thou Me Oh! Master?" Rev. W. B. Burton; Anthem, "The Story of Old."

Dr. Gregory Dead

Dr. James R. Gregory, formerly of this city, passed away in Reno, Nevada, last Tuesday afternoon. Death came to him at he residence of his son, Dr. E. B. Gregory, and resulted from a chill following a ninety mile ride overland in the cold weather. Deceased was a native of Albany, N. Y., aged 65 years, and was a surgeon in the army during the civil war.

Chapter Elects Officers

At a meeting of Ukiah Chapter, No. 53, Royal Arch Masons last Wednesday evening the following officers were elected to serve the ensuing year: High Priest, P. B. Westerman; King, M. A. Thomas; Scribe, J. L. McCracken; Treasurer, J. R. Mathews; Secretary, O. L. Stanley.

STERLING CITIZEN CALLED TO REST

Hon. John McMurry, Pioneer, Miner, Legislator and Business Man, Answers Summons

Hon. John McMurry, one of the sterling pioneers of California, died at high noon last Sunday at his home in the Palace hotel in this city. He was of the brave and sturdy stock that helped build up the great west, and to whose deeds and memories the state owes a debt that can never be fully repaid.

Mr. McMurry had not been in the best of health for some time. About four years ago his wife died very suddenly and from that time Mr. McMurry seemed to fail in health. He took a slight cold on Wednesday and went to bed and rheumatism attacked him, causing him considerable pain, but the attack was not considered serious. He went to bed Saturday evening and apparently rested easily, as the nurse was not aroused. The next morning his son-in-law, Robert Duncan, entered the room and saw that there was something wrong and called in Dr. Rea, but life was fast ebbing away. A blood vessel had burst in the brain, causing death in a short time.

John McMurry was born in Kentucky, April 1, 1830, and was 76 years, 8 months and 15 days old. When only 17 years old young McMurry enlisted in the army and fought through the Mexican war. He took part in many sharp engagements and came out with high honors and special mention from the commanding officer. Only a few of that grand army of young men that stormed the heights of Chapultepec are now living. After the war Mr. McMurry returned to the his old homestead, and then in 1850 he joined in with the long line of Argonauts that crossed the plains by ox teams, and landed in California and started to the mines. He located in Trinity county where he followed mining for forty-five years. In 1873 he was united in marriage to Miss Ella Wood, of Suisun. Three children survive him, Mrs. J. R. LaRue, of Sacramento, Mrs. Robert Duncan and Miss Ella McMurry, of Ukiah.

Mr. McMurry disposed of some of his Trinity mining stock six years ago and came to Mendocino county and made a number of investments, locating in Ukiah. He was interested in the Irvine & Muir Lumber company and had other interests at Willits. He was also a stockholder in the Bank of Ukiah and was a director of that institution for a term of years.

About a third of a century ago Mr. McMurry was elected to the assembly on the Democratic ticket from Trinity and Tehama counties and was thereafter elected to the state senate from the old Trinity-Shasta district for two terms. He was an honest, conscientious legislator and was one of the party wheel horses in early days. No man stood higher in the state than Honest John McMurry.

The death of John McMurry calls to mind the death of another sturdy pioneer, Hon. Hugh M. LaRue, who died in Sacramento last week, December 12th. Hugh LaRue and John McMurry were bosom friends of a life time. They were born in Kentucky in 1830, Mr. LaRue being six weeks older. They grew up as boys together and were fast friends. Mr. LaRue came to California in '49 and John McMurry came the next year. They were friends together in this state, and were associated in politics for a number of years, both attaining positions of trust and honor. Mr. LaRue's oldest son married Mr. McMurry's oldest daughter, and every summer the two old pioneers of "the days of old, the days of gold" had a pleasant visit together.

Mr. McMurry is the last of the McMurry family, there being no male descendants to perpetuate the name.

In speaking of the death of Hugh LaRue, the Sacramento Bee paid him a deserved tribute. As he and Mr. McMurry were so much alike and such fast friends for three-quarters of a century we publish that eulogy of the other pioneer as our tribute to Honest John McMurry:

"He was a man of sterling worth and solid integrity. He was sturdy and uncompromising in his opinions, militant and pugnacious in political matters, strong in his likes and dislikes, as he was strong and sturdy in all phases of his character, but ever and always a man who commanded the respect of even his bitterest political enemies, ever and always a man whose private and public integrity stood unimpeachable.

"He was one of the last of the old magnificent race of the kings of men who builded this west—men of great nature's royal blood—men of stainless honor and dauntless courage—men never small in anything they did—men with whom Fear was as unknown as Dishonor was shunned—men who greatly lived and grandly did—men to whose memories the Present should lowly doff its hat.

"Of that Grand Army of Knightly Men, only a handful are left. They are going down one by one into the Valley of the Shadow. A breath of Time, and the scenes that have known them all so often—the scenes they have enriched by their deeds and ennobled with their manhood—will know them no more forever,

"As one by one they are passing away, it is meet that the living should honor them as departing MEN deserved to be honored."

The funeral took place Tuesday morning from the Masonic hall. Rev. Crook, of the Episcopal church, conducting the ceremony. After the religious services the Masons took charge and buried the body with the honors of the Order, Mr. McMurry having been an honored member of the mystic tie for over half a century. The funeral was largely attended, showing the respect and esteem in which deceased was held.

SPORTSMEN'S CLUB PROPOSE CHANGES

The state convention of sportsmen met in Sacramento last week and effected an organization. Among other things they did was to adopt resolutions recommending that the open season for doves be from July 1st to the 15th and a closed season on grouse for three years. Also the bag limit to be thirty-five ducks in one day's shoot, more effective legislation to prevent one man from killing more than the limit, abolishing the law forbidding the killing of fish eating birds, excepting only blue and white crows; making a robin a protected bird, the close season for trout from November 15th to May 1st; for salmon from September 15th to October 20th, and limiting the take of black bass to fifty in one day. There will be no closed season for striped bass.

AMENDMENTS TO GAME LAW

Senator Sanford, upon receiving a number of communications relative to the game laws, has decided to offer several amendments to the law when the matter comes up for consideration this winter at Sacramento. He proposes to remove the restriction on killing gray squirrels, or tree squirrels, and allow the ranchers to kill them, as the squirrels have proved to be very destructive to acorns which are a great food for hogs in the fall of the year. A number of ranchers have asked that this part of the game law be repealed.

He also intends to make an effort to raise the deer limit to five deer during the season instead of two as the law now prescribes. As the law now stands, the farmer obeys the law and the sports from the city do not. The provisions of the law should be such that all would respect it and try to see that it was rightfully enforced. Few people will go out hunting for just two deer, the result being that they ignore the law and make no effort to see that it is enforced, as they become violaters themselves. The law should be reasonable and such that all would obey its provisions and the result would be that we would have more game. Mr. Sanford will be pleased to get the opinions of the people before going to Sacramento regarding fish and game, as he intends to pay particular attention to these laws this year.

Suit Over Timber Land

The superior court has been occupied since Tuesday with the trial of the case of the Albion Lumber company vs. A. R. Johnson. Some of the points of the case are to be submitted to a jury. The suit is over some valuable timber land owned by Johnson which he had bonded to the Albion company. It is alleged that he declined to fulfill the contract. Miles Standish, Superintendent H. B. Hickey and a number of other prominent coast residents are in attendance.

CUPID COMPLAINS OF POOR BUSINESS

Mrs. O. H. White, who is Cupid's exclusive agent in this county, complains that business in her line is not keeping up with what should be expected during the glad holiday season. She points out that the merchants and others are doing an immense volume of business and that surely one would expect the wily little god of love to keep ahead of sordid and platonic venders of holiday wares. She is disappointed that such is not the case, as she has issued so far this month only fifteen licenses to marry as against twenty-two last month. She is hopeful that the remaining days of the month will show a rush of business appropriate with the spirit of the season. The following licenses have been issued this week:

Fred Hanson and Hattie Sanderson, both of Fort Bragg.

George H. Perkins and Alta Waldvogel, both of Potter valley.

Frank Ekeman and Emma Westergard, the former of Caspar and the latter of Fort Bragg.

Terry Beebe and Anna Christianson, both of Point Arena.

Jesse W. Porterfield and Ethel Leota Elledge, both of Ukiah.

Robert Marders Married

Robert Marders came in from Hullville shortly after the election and went up to Eugene, Oregon, where on the 10th of December he was united in marriage to Mrs. M. E. Kelly, of that city. Bob and his bride arrived in this city last Saturday and were kept busy receiving the congratulations of friends for some time. They departed the next day for Hullville where they will remain for the present. The Dispatch joins Bob's many friends in wishing him good luck.

No Use For Tonapah

Andy Hensley did not tarry long in Tonopah. He returned to this city last week, having been gone only a week. He remained over night in Tonopah, and that was enough for him, as there was no accommodations there. There was much sickness—ten people dying that night of pneumonia, so Andy decided to pull his freight. He expects to go back there in the spring when there is a chance to live. He reported coal at $70 a ton and wood $60 a cord.

A Folsom Guard

Jay B. Turner is now one of Warden Yell's trusted guards once more. Jay went back on a visit with Guard Elledge and showed himself to be a first class flopper and a dryer, so Yell told him to get on the line. So Jay is now on duty and says the first "Con" that gets out of line or step will get "flat-rocked" plenty.

Mrs. F. Franks and daughter left today for the city to spend the holidays.

HARVEST OF GRIM REAPER

Young and Old Chosen To Cross Dark River

Daniel Archibald Beattie passed away at the home of his parents in this city last Sunday at the age of 29 years, 2 months, and 11 days. Archie Beattie was one of the best young men this community ever produced, and his death is greatly deplored. He had been sick for about a month from typhoid pneumonia, and gradually grew worse, and finally other complications set in resulting in his death.

Archie was a splendid young man and was quite a favorite among the business men. For a long time he drove the express wagon here but later got a position on the train directly under Wells, Fargo & Co., running from San Francisco to Willits. He was later transferred to the Sacramento run, which position he held until his sickness began about a month ago. He was the son of Wm. Beattie, the popular nightwatchman, and leaves a father, mother, and several brothers and sisters to grieve over his untimely taking. The funeral took place from the M. E. Church, South, Wednesday afternoon, and the outpouring of friends and neighbors was a tribute to the worth of the young man.

Death of George W. Hughes

George W. Hughes died at Milbrae on December 13th of consumption and was brought to this city last Saturday the funeral taking place Sunday from the M. E. Church, South, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and was largely attended. He was about 50 years old and had lived in this community for many years, and had made a wide circle of friends. His wife died four years ago and his passing leaves only a daughter to survive him. He was for many years constable and nightwatchman here in town and was a good official. He went to Santa Barbara county a few years ago for his health but never recovered. He leaves a number of relatives and a host of friends to mourn his death.

Death of an Infant

One of the little twin children of Mr. and Mrs. McCarthy died last week from a severe attack of measles. The child was only a few months old and the parents have the sympathy of all in their hour of sorrow.

Grand Christmas Concert

There will be a grand Christmas concert at the Presbtyerian church next Sunday evening, December 23, at 7:30 o'clock. The following program will be rendered: Organ Prelude, Mrs. Saulsman; Christmas Carol, Ladies' Choral; "Oh! Holy Night," Mrs. M. B. Gibson; "Silver Christmas Bells," Ladies' Choral; "Les Rameaux," Choir; Baritone Solo, "The Star of Bethlehem," "When the Light of the Lord Streamed over them an Angel Sang his Song of Love," Mr. Vincent Giorno; Christmas Hymn, Ladies' Choral; Trombone Solo, "The Lost Chord," Mr. Ray Duncan; "Sing, Ye Heavens," Choir; Melody in A flat, Mrs. Dr. Allen; Offering; Christmas Talk, Rev. D. B. Stewart; "Vesper Bells," Ladies' Choral and Quartette.

Return to Mendocino

Mr. and Mrs. George Lammers and daughter passed through Ukiah on Friday on their way to Greenwood where Mr. Lammers is to take a position recently vacated by Bookkeeper Gilkison, who goes to Sea... Mr. Lammers was for a long time assistant cashier of the Bank of Mendocino, and he is one of the best accountants in the county. For several years he has been head bookkeeper for the big paint firm of Bass... & Co., in San Francisco. He and his wife have many friends in the county who will hail their return to the county with delight.

WHAT TO BUY FOR CHRISTMAS

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15c to $3.00 yd.

Waist Patterns
10c to $1.50 yd.

Fancy Collars
25c to $1.25

Purses
25c to $4.00

Furs
$2.00 to $20.00

Umbrellas
50c to $6.00

Suit Cases
$2.00 to $12.00

Handkerchiefs
5c to $2.00

Mufflers

Boys Suits
$1.50 to $12.00

Coats for Ladies' and Children
$1.50 to $15.00

Ladies' Suits
$7.00 to $25.00

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Wagons
Books
Games
Banks
Stoves
Dishes
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Lamps
Vases
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Ornaments

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ESTIMATES FURNISHED

THE ARAB.

An Artist In Manners Is This Son of the Orient.

In all matters of sentiment the Arab's instinct is sure. If you can appeal to him on any ground of hospitality or generosity, says the author of "In the Desert," you have a hold on him.

It used to be the boast of Arab poetry in its best days that it "never praised a man except for what was in him," and the habit of judging directly and without regard to surroundings has always been an instinct of the race. All those evidences of worldly prosperity and success which turn the heart of the Anglo-Saxon to water leave the Arab unmoved.

The Arab is an artist in manners. I remember a certain sheik who was once my traveling companion on the Upper Nile, a tall, gaunt, keen faced man of a complexion almost black, with a profile like the sun polish on desert stones, who walked among the fellahs on the crowded deck like a chief among his slaves.

With him I shared the same narrow corner of the deck. He was strict in his religious observances and at the appointed hours would spread his mat on the deck, turn in the supposed direction of Mecca and then kneel and rise and kneel again, bowing with his forehead to the ground in the imposing attitudes of Moslem prayer.

Quick at detecting the least sign of consideration or respect, if we stopped talking or moved to make room, he would measure up the courtesy and when his prayers were over turn and acknowledge it with a grave gesture and a smile that seemed no conventional grimace, but expressed the intention of a deliberate friendliness.

PALISADES FORMATION.

Allied In Time and Type to Mount Holyoke and Cape Blomidon.

The complete height of the cliff was much higher, originally, for the glacier that buried North America down to this latitude eroded billions of tons which went to the upbuilding of Long Island, trap bowlders being common in the soil of Brooklyn, and I have found on the top of the Palisades opposite Spuyten Duyvil glacial groovings and polishings that have survived the presumptive 15,000 years since the glacier melted. The outpour of this mass from a volcano whose crater we cannot so much as guess in this day was tremendous, and it cut the Hudson and Hackensack valleys asunder and pushed the harbor several miles to the southward, while related activities thrust above the surface, either as downpours or uppours, the thousand miles of basaltic hills that chain the Carolinas to the Bay of Fundy, so that our Palisades are allied in form and time to Mount Holyoke and Cape Blomidon.

To the mineralogist our Palisades do not yield as much of interest as we find in the rotting trap of Paterson, a few miles away, from which have been taken the largest prehnites in the world, sea green and wonderful; royal amethysts, balls of silky pectolite and quartz pseudomorphs that copy them; but we find in these cliffs occasional duplicates of the columns that make the Giant's causeway and Fingal's cave—geometric shapes of three, four, five, six and more sides, not a result of crystallization, as was once imagined, for trap is a rock, not a mineral, but of lateral shrinking when it has cooled.—Charles M. Skinner in Century.

No Pure Gold In Use.

"Gold when refined from all impurities," said a jeweler, "and alloys of inferior metals is denominated pure. This means gold of twenty-four carats, and this is the standard recognized by the mint master and dealers in gold. As a matter of fact, however, there is no gold so pure. Gold of twenty-two carats is about as pure as it can be got. It has two parts of silver or one part of silver and one part of copper. The copper darkens the color of gold, while silver lightens it in color. Twenty-three carat gold is occasionally seen, which means a half carat of silver and of copper. Ordinarily eighteen carat gold is the best gold than can be had. Certainly it is the best for jewelry, for pure gold, as it is called, is too soft and will wear away much faster than the owners of it desire.

Stoves.

Stoves which concealed the fire were in use in Greek and Roman households. The ancients also employed open tubes of metal or earthenware and, in addition, heated their rooms with charcoal braziers. Grates for the burning of coal were employed two centuries ago in Great Britain. Many thousands of patents have been taken out upon stoves and ranges since Franklin and Count Rumford pointed out the waste of fuel and of heat involved in open fireplaces.

Atlantic Billows.

The authorities of the United States hydrographic bureau have endeavored to ascertain the size of the Atlantic waves. From careful observations they learn that in height the waves usually average about thirty feet, but in rough weather they attain from forty to forty-eight feet. In storms they are often from 500 to 600 feet long and continue to move about ten or eleven seconds, while the longest yet known measured half a mile and did not exhaust itself for twenty-three seconds.

A Spoiled Sermon.

A clergyman was unexpectedly called upon to preach before the students of a well known college. He chose a sermon from his "barrel" and without reading it went to the college chapel. He got on splendidly until near the close, when he amazed the boys with his peroration, beginning, "And now a word in conclusion to you who are mothers."

Several Dialects.

McCall—What sort of hybrid creature is that new butler of yours? Nuritch—Why, how do you mean? McCall—I called to see you the other day, and when I asked him what time I might catch you at home he said, "At haff pawst tin, sah."—Philadelphia Press.

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Hard Nuts For Applicants to Crack

The following are the questions given at the teachers' examination last week in the subjects named:

Physiology.

1. Describe the brain under the following heads: parts, materials, arrangements of materials, coats, functions.

2. Describe the branching of the nerves. What is the cause of fainting and how should a case be treated?

3. Give the uses of bones, their composition, microscopic structure.

4. What is food? Name the principal kinds of food. What is the best mode of cooking meats. Why?

5. Name the organs of digestion. Name the principal glands found along the alimentary canal and the fluid secreted by each.

6. What is the functions of the liver, teeth, diaphragm ganglia, white matter of the nervous system?

7. Write a paragraph on the care of the eyes.

8. How should the following be treated, sprains, bleeding from the upper arm, snake bites, poisoning by strychnine, drowning.

9. What causes the following diseases and what part of the body is affected by each: dyspepsia, jaundice, cholera morbus, pleurisy rickets.

10. Discuss ventilation.

Geography

1. (a) What are isothermal lines?
(b) What effect have the following upon temperature: Topography, oceans, atmospheric movements?

2. Discuss volcanoes under the following heads: Distribution, materials erupted, form of cone, extinct volcanoes, and causes.

3. What are the following and the causes of each: Dew, frost, fog, hail, and snow?
Name some of the agents of erosion.

4 and 5. Start from Seattle. Go direct to Honolulu. Describe the people you would find there, the climate and the native foods you would likely eat there. Then go direct to Yokohama. Describe the people you would find there and some of their customs. What native foods would you eat there? What great city near Yokohama? Describe the country of Japan. From Yokohama go to Shanghai. Describe the people you find here. Tell what you can about China. Next sail to Manila. What are some of the products you would take on board here for the U. S.? Next sail to Liverpool by way of the Mediterranean sea. What important ports would you pass on this sea? Describe the appearance of the harbor of Liverpool. Next take the train to London. Describe the city. Next sail to New York. Name some of the important cities you would visit in crossing the U. S to Seattle.

Book-Keeping

1 Make the proper day-book, journal, and ledger entries for the following:

Fresno, Cal., July 7, 1905, John Watson and Fred Mann have this day formed a co-partnership for the purpose of carrying on a general hardware business under the firm name of Watson & Mann. Mr. Watson invests the following Mdse. $1500. Notes as per B. B. $1450, tools $500.

Mr. Mann invests cash $2000.

July 8. Sold Frank Mason for cash 3 plows at $14.75. 3 axes at $1.25

Sold Wm. King on note at 60 da with interest at 8 per cent.

1 stove $45, 50 lbs. nails at $.04, 3 frying pans at $.75.

Sold Frank Walsh on account, 3 pr. hinges at $.25, 40 lbs. nails at $.04, 2 bake pans at $.35. 30cr

2. Write the note in No. 1. 5cr

3. Make out Frank Walsh's bill and receipt it. 5cr

4. Frank Walsh pays his bill by giving a check. Write the check. 5cr

5. Write a letter to Baker & Hamilton, S. F. ordering a bill of goods of ten items.

Make out an application for a money order for goods bought.

English

1. Who wrote the following poems? Sketch each, (i. e. What is the poem about.) and state the particular merits of each.

Snow-bound, Cotter's Saturday Night, The Ancient Mariner, Prisoner of Chillon, Horatius.

2. Quote lines from five poets studied by you. (Not less than four consecutive lines in each quotation.)

3. Name 10 American writers. State the kind of literature each produced. (Poetry, fiction, etc.)

4. Write brief character sketches of 5 of the following people: Rebecca, Portia, Brutus, Sir Roger, Shylock, Ellen.

5. Write a composition on each of the following subjects. Before you begin think what you are going to say. You will be judged by how well you write, not by how much you write.

a. The Story of the Rings. (Merchant of Venice.)
b. The Siege of Torquilstone.
c. The gathering of the clans and the battle in "The Lady of the Lake."
d. The trial of Shylock.
e. Sir Roger de Coverley's behavior at church.
f. The plot of "Julius Caesar."

Composition.

1. Paraphrase:

a. Once more he cudgeled the sides of the inflexible Gunpowder, and, shutting his eyes, broke forth with involuntary fervor into a psalm tune.

b. Lives of great men all remind us
We can make our lives sublime,
And departing leave behind us
Foot-prints on the sands of time.

2. Describe in a short paragraph one of the following: a. An interesting game of puzzle. b. The American flag. c A school room. d. A wild flower. e. A canon.

3. Supply sub-topics to complete the following outline: Outline of a theme entitled Mendocino Woods in Autumn.

1. Introduction. Circumstances connected with the writer's trip.
2. General impression.
3. Vegetation.
4. Animal life.
5. Conclusion.

4. A. Mark the scansion and name the verse (kind of meter and feet.)

a. The noblest mind the best contentment has.
b. Hast thou seen that lordly castle.
c. The old oaken bucket, the iron-bound bucket.
d. The sun that brief December day.
e. My country 'tis of thee.

B. Name the figures of speech in the following:

a. The tumult reaches the stars.
b. His steel gleamed on high.
c. The wind howled.
d. One white cloud like a stray lamb doth move.
e. Kindness is a golden chain.

5. Explain in a well connected paragraph your ideas upon the difference between a sketch, a short story, and a novel. Use any sketches, short stories, and novels that you have read to illustrate your ideas.

History. (Ancient, Mediaeval, Modern.)

1. Briefly state who the following were:
Buddha, Hannibal, Darius, Socrates, Cleopatra, Alexander, Pompey, Cicero, Phidias, Augustus Caesar.

2. What characterized the age of Pericles?

3. What changes politically did Ancient Rome undergo from the founding to the downfall?

4. What do you understand by Mediaeval History?
State some of its distinguishing features.

5. Write a concise paragraph on the Crusades: cause, time, nations and individuals participating, the outcome.

6. (a.) Who were the following? Oliver Cromwell, Martin Luther, Joan of Arc, Nelson, Charlemagne, Gladstone, Peter the Great, Mary Stuart, Bismarck, Michael Angelo. (b.) Associate any five with some great event or movement in history.

7. Why are the following battles particularly noted?
Thermopylae, Tours, Hastings, Austerlitz, Waterloo.

8. Give in outline form the causes, general characteristics, and outcome of the French Revolution.

9. Trace the growth of the British Empire in the East.

10. Associate any five of the following places with some interesting event or circumstances in history:
Florence, Granada, Moscow, Island of Elbe, Delphia, The Rubicon, Versailles, Mecca.

Algebra

1.

Factor the following expressions:

$a^2+2ab+b^2+2(a+b)y+y^2$

$1-3\ 6x^4$

x^2-5x+6

$12x^2y^2-1\ 7xy+6$

2.

Reduce the following fractions to integral or mixed expressions:

$$\frac{a^3-3a^2b+3ab^2+b^3}{a^2-2ab+b^2}$$

$$\frac{12x^2+x+1}{4x-1}$$

3.

Simplify the following complex fractions:

$$\frac{1}{(1+\frac{y}{x})(1-\frac{y}{x})}$$

$$\frac{\frac{x}{x-y}}{\frac{x^2}{y^2-y^2}}$$

4.

Solve: $\frac{x-a}{x+a}+\frac{3b-x}{2b+x}=0$

5.

A fish was caught whose tail weighed 9 lbs; his head weighed as much as his tail and half his body, and his body weighed as much as his head and tail together. What was the weight of the fish?

6.

A owes $1200, B $2550, but neither has enough to pay his debts. Said A to B: Lend me ⅛ of your money and I shall be enabled to pay my debts. B answered: I can discharge my debts if you lend me 1-6 of yours. What sum has each?

7.

Divide $a^2-b^2-c^2-2bc$ by $\frac{a+b+c}{a+b-c}$

8

Expand the following expressions:

$(a-b-c)^2$

$(3x-2)^5$

9

Extract the square root of

(1) $x^4+2x^3-x+\frac{1}{4}$

(2) $4x^2-12xy+9y^2$

10

Multiply $c(c-b)^3$ by $5(a-b)^2$

Multiply $(x^2-xy+y^2)(x^2+xy+y^2)$

11

A farmer invested $240 in the purchase of goats, hogs and sheep. The sum paid for the hogs was 3 times that paid for goats, and the sheep cost as much as the hogs and goats together. Find cost of each kind.

Work ten.

School Law.

1. What are the public holidays in the schools of California?

2 Give the duties of a teacher in taking charge of a school; in closing a school.

3 What is the school age in California? When and how is the school census taken? What is meant by a "census child?"

4. Who is responsible for the conduct of pupils in going to and from school? Discuss.

5 What is a district meeting? In what two ways may it be called? How conducted? Name several purposes for which it may be called.

Physics.

1. Draw a force-pump and a lifting pump and explain each.

2. Give the laws of pendulums. What is the object of experiments in the study of physics?

3. Make a drawing of a siphon and explain its action.

4. In what three ways is heat diffused? Explain each.

5. Define opaque, non-conductor, hydrometer, inertia, magnet.

6 Give Newton's laws of motion.

7. What is the center of gravity?
How far will a body fall in 6½ sec? In the fifth sec.

8. What is the reflection of light?
How does it differ from refraction of light?

9. Describe fully two experiments you have performed in electricity, stating what has been proven by each.

10. Name and describe three kinds of water wheels.

11. Distinguish between gravity and gravitation.

12. What is sound? On what does the intensity of sound depend?

AN ANCIENT PYRAMID.

Story of "the Tomb of the Christian" in Algeria.

The tomb of the Christian in Algeria is a pyramid on the summit of a hill more than 700 feet high, at the edge of the sea. It dates back to before the time of St. Paul, having been built by order of Juba II., the king of Mauretania, as a burying place for himself and his wife, Cleopatra, the daughter of Cleopatra and Mark Antony. The only daughter of Juba and his wife was Drusilla, who married Festus, the governor of Judaea in the time of St. Paul. The tomb can be entered by a low doorway beneath one of the four false doors. These have moldings on them of a cruciform shape and may account for the title, "The Tomb of the Christian." The passage within the pyramid winds round and eventually leads to two chambers shut off from it by folding doors, which can be moved up and down by levers. The tomb must have been rifled of all it contained centuries ago, though some think that by excavating in a downward direction it might still be possible to discover the burying place of the king and queen, supposing the two chambers, like the false doors outside, to be a blind. Doubtless the younger Cleopatra had brought the idea of making a royal mausoleum in the shape of a pyramid from Egypt. Portions of a marble statue of Egyptian design were found at Cherchel, suggesting that an Egyptian colony may once have existed there. There are two other similar monuments in Algeria, in the provinces of Oran and Constantine respectively, the latter being considerably older than the tomb of the Christian, which, however, is the only one referred to in ancient writings.—Autocar.

THE ELDER TREE.

Once Held In High Esteem as a Cure For Epilepsy.

Although tradition tells us that it was on an elder tree that Judas hanged himself, great virtue has long been attributed to it as a cure for epilepsy. The origin of this belief may be found in the following quotation from an old book of charms:

"In the month of October, a little before full moon, pluck a twig of elder and cut the cane that is between two of its knees, or knots, in nine pieces. Bind these pieces in a piece of linen, hang this by a thread about the neck so that they touch the spoon of the heart, or the sword formed cartilage, and that they may more firmly stay in their place bind them thereon with a linen or silken roller wrapped around the body till the thread break of itself. The thread being broken and the roller removed the charm is not to be touched at all with the bare hands, but should be taken hold of by some instrument and buried in a place that nobody may touch it."

Of course unless the instructions were followed strictly a complete cure could not be assured. There is another superstition about the elder which doubtless has saved many a boy a stout caning—namely, that it hinders a child's growth if used as an instrument of punishment.—Sunday Magazine.

Walking to Health.

When there is no organic weakness which is aggravated by the exertion it is the easiest and pleasantest thing to walk right into health. Of course there is no virtue in a dawdling walk. The slow and languid dragging of one foot after the other, which some people call walking, would tire an athlete; it utterly exhausts a weak person, and that is the reason why many delicate people think they cannot walk. To derive any benefit from the exercise it is necessary to walk with a light, elastic step, which swings the weight of the body so easily from one leg to the other that its weight is not felt and which produces a healthy glow, showing that the sluggish blood is stirred to action in the most remote veins. This sort of walking exhilarates the whole body, gives tone to the nerves and produces just that sort of healthful fatigue which encourages sound, restful sleep.

Civilization Does Not Enfeeble.

We need not have the slightest fear that civilized man is going to become degenerate from city dwelling or any of the other strains of civilization. Contrary to popular belief, the white man of today has a lower death rate, a higher average length of life, is taller, heavier and stronger than any of his predecessors or any known race of savages. Almost any company of American and English soldiers will contain men who can outrun, outwrestle and outswim the best athletes of any native tribe.—Success Magazine.

Should Help Himself.

"Yes," young Mr. Timmid admitted; "I've always been bashful among the girls."

"But why should you be?" asked Miss Yern encouragingly.

"I can't help myself."

"Gracious!" she exclaimed, pursing up her lips. "If you don't help yourself, how can you expect to get any?"

Speculation.

Experience proves that those who gain money rapidly by speculation almost never keep it, and when they have lost it they are infinitely worse off than they were before.—Success Magazine.

Knew the Place.

Guest (in cheap restaurant)—Here, waiter, this meal is simply vile. I won't pay for it. Where's the proprietor? Waiter—He's out at lunch, sir.

He will never accomplish anything who dreams of what he will do instead of showing what he can do.

DEATH BY A BOMB.

Imaginary Incident of the Crimean War by Tolstoi.

The following imaginary incident of the Crimean war is found in Count Tolstoi's "Sevastopol:" "The bomb, coming faster and faster and nearer and nearer, so that the sparks of its fuse were already visible, descended. 'Lie down!' some one shouted. They lay flat on the ground. Praskouhin, closing his eyes, heard only the bomb crashing down on the hard earth close by. A second passed, which seemed an hour. The bomb had not exploded. He opened his eyes and at that moment caught a sight of the glowing fuse of the bomb not a yard off. Terror, cold terror, excluding every other thought and feeling, seized his whole being. He covered his face with his hands.

"Then he remembered the 12 rubles he owed, a debt in St. Petersburg that should have been paid long ago and the gypsy song he had sung that evening. The woman he loved rose in his imagination, wearing a cap with lilac ribbons, and yet, inseparable from all these and from thousands of other recollections, the present thought, the expectation of death, did not leave him for a moment. 'Perhaps it won't explode,' and with desperate final decision he wished to open his eyes, but at that instant a red flame pierced through the still closed lids, and, with a terrible crash, something struck him in the middle of the chest.

"He jumped up and began to run, but, stumbling over the saber that got between his legs, fell on his side. 'Thank God, I'm only bruised,' was his first thought, and he wished to touch his chest with his hand, but his arms seemed tied to his sides, and it felt as if a vise were squeezing his head. Soldiers flitted past him, and he counted them unconsciously. Then lightning flashed before his eyes, and he wondered whether the shot were fired from a mortar or cannon. 'Cannon, probably, and here are more soldiers—five, six, seven soldiers. They all pass by.' He was suddenly filled with fear that they would crush him. He wished to shout that he was hurt, but his mouth was so dry that his tongue clove to the roof of his mouth.

"He felt it wet about his chest, and this sensation of being wet made him think of water. Fearing lest the soldiers might trample on him, he tried to shout 'Take care with you,' but instead of that he uttered such a terrible groan that he was frightened to hear it. Then other red fires began dancing before his eyes, and it seemed to him that the soldiers put stones on him. He made an effort to push off the stones, stretched himself, and saw and heard and felt nothing more. He had been killed on the spot by a bomb splinter in the middle of his chest."

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

A sick man talks about everything except death.

No man is big enough to laugh at a real worry.

While loafing a man usually thinks about a big scheme that won't work.

Women as Travelers.

As a matter of genuine fact women in nine cases out of ten, are better travelers than men are. To begin with, if not so stodgily accurate, although that by no manner of means follows, they are more fluent in modern languages. They chatter in them say the male things. Ergo, they are the more colloquial, the readier to circumvent the wiles and extortions of kellner or of garcon.—London Gentlewoman.

A Good Dog.

"What kind of a dog is that?" asked the inquisitive man.

"I dunno jes' what kind of a dog it is," answered Mr. Erastus Pinkle, "but he's got good stock in 'im. De dog is so many kinds of dog dat dat got to be good dog somewhere."—Washington Star.

The Truth.

A teacher in explaining the different kinds of sentences to her class, asked what it would be if she said, "I am looking for a man."

"I don't know," said the boy at the foot of the class, "but I think it would be the truth."—Lucerne Standard.

Looking Backward.

Do you ever look back over your life and think how many times you have made a fool of yourself? We do.—Mancos Times-Tribune.

"Touching Wood."

Can any reader explain the origin of touching wood after boasting of one's exemption from ill fortune?—a species of absit omen practised in Shropshire and Cheshire and probably in many other parts of England. The procedure is of this kind. "I'm thankful to say I never broke a bone or even had a bad sprain in my life—well, I'd better touch wood," and a chair or table or anything near that is wooden is touched. Can the custom come from the lingering memory of the veneration attached to relics of the true cross?—London Notes and Queries.

Touching a Button.

Wife—I've just been reading an article on electricity, John, and it appears that before long we shall be able to get pretty well everything we want by just touching a button. Husband—You'd never be able to get anything that way. Wife—Why not? Husband—Because nothing on earth would ever make you touch a button. Look at my shirt!

A man should never be ashamed of own he has been in the wrong, but saying in other words that he is wiser today than yesterday.

Special Values | New Suits and Coats | Swell Waists | Handsome Neckwear

A Picture Free

Next Monday we will give away a handsome picture with each purchase. Come early and have your pick.

Christmas Offerings

Get Your Picture

Be sure and call early Monday if you want a handsome picture free of charge, as we only have one hundred of them.

A Great Line of Christmas Novelties and Some Special Offerings

The big store of H. Marks & Co. is now chuck full of things that will make useful Christmas presents. A glance over our center counters will help you decide what to give. Everything is brand new and right up-to-date, and priced very reasonable. Come and see our display whether you are ready to buy or not, but we would suggest early purchases as the best things will very likely go first. See our special offerings.

Ladies' Waists

A very swell line of new Waists just arrived, and would make excellent Christmas presents. Price $1.00 to $15.00 each.

Ladies' Neckwear

A beautiful line of new Neckwear, put up one in a fancy box. Price 25c to $1.00

Ladies' Scarfs

A very pretty line of Ladies' Crepe de chene Throws, in Pink, Blue, Lavender, White and Black. Price 50c and $1.00.

Ladies' Crochet Shawls all colors, 50c to $2.00
Ladies' Crochet Throws all colors, 95c.
Lace Chemisettes, white, 50c to $2.50.
Fancy Kimonas, 50c to $1.00.
Silk Kimonas, $3.95.
Infants and Children's Woolen Mitts and Gloves, all colors, 20c and 25c.
Infants and Children's knit Underskirts, all colors, 50c and 75c.
Infants and Children's knit Leggins: 40c
Infants Crochet Saques, all colors, 25c to $1.00.
Infants Crochet Booties, all colors, 20c and 25c
Infants Silk and Crochet Hoods, 25c to $2.00.
Bureau Scarfs, 50c to $2.00.
Pearl Necklaces, 10c to $1.00.
Laundry Bags, 65c and 75c.
Cushion Tops, 25c and 50c.

Silk Gloves

Elbow Length, Silk Gloves. White and Black. Christmas Special, $1.00 a pair.

Merchandise Orders

If you don't know what to give for a Christmas present, buy one of our Merchandise Orders for whatever amount you wish, and let the recipient get what they please and when they please.

Handkerchiefs For Christmas Gifts

Some Special Offerings

Ladies' Linen Initial Handkerchiefs, put up six in a fancy box. Price 90c per box.

Ladies' Lawn and pure Linen Handkerchiefs 5c to $1.00 each.

Children's Linen Initial Handerchiefs, neat, fancy borders, put up three in a fancy box. Price, 25c per box.

Gents Linen Initial Handkerchiefs, put up six in a fancy box. Price per box, 90c and $1.00

Gents Silk and Initial Handkerchiefs. Price 25c and 50c each.

Gents Japanette Handkerchiefs, the new styles for young men, plain and fancy. Price 15c and 25c.

Very Special

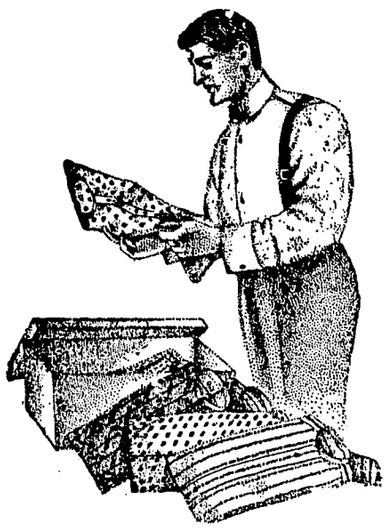
25 dozen Ladies' pure Linen Handkerchiefs, a manufacturers sample line, put up just one on a card, regular prices 50c, 65c and 75c, we will sell the entire lot at 25c each.

Smoking Jackets and Bath Robes

The most appropriate present for a gentleman, would be a Smoking Jacket or a Bath Robe. We have afine line of Smoking Jackets and Bath Robes, many patterns for your selection, and no two alike. Smoking Jackets $2.50 to $7.50. Bath Robes $3.50 to $5.00

A KUPPENHEIMER SUIT OR OVERCOAT would make a great Christmas present.

Gents Mufflers,
Fancy Vests,
Gloves, Shirts,
Neckwear, Suspenders,
Hats, Fancy Hosiery,
Walk-Over Shoes,



in all of the above articles we have large amounts for your selection, and any one of the articles mentioned would make a good Christma gift for a gentleman.

A great many other things for Chaistmas not quoted here.

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THE HOME OF GOOD GOODS

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Look For Us

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Watches, Jewelry, Silverware, Toilet Sets, Bead Purses, Cut Glass, Hand-Painted China and hundreds of things for Xmas

Store open evenings.

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SHORT ITEMS OF LOCAL NEWS

Personal Jottings and Newsy Notes of Town and County

Present your husband with one of those fine umbrellas at Joseph's. 2t

Dentist—Dr. J. F. McClure in Eversole building. Ukiah. tf

Buy your sweetheart a ring. Joseph has some dandies. No trouble to show the goods. 2t

Try Patten's hot chicken tamales, made by W. A. Goodrich, an experienced tamale maker. 1m

Plain sewing of all kinds. Children's clothes a specialty. Miss Terry, 209 South Thompson St. 3t.

Should be on the side board—good cheer for host and guest. Shaws' Malt. For sale by all dealers.

C. Hofman has just received a very nice assortment of fancy holiday dishes. Call in and see them. 4t

The name tells the story; everybody knows it; everybody likes it—I. W. Harper whiskey. Sold by all dealers.

Try a sack of Blue Ribbon Burbanks. They are the sweetest potatoes ever brought to town. At C. Hofman's. 4t

Joseph has the best assortment of Christmas presents that ever came to Ukiah. Call and see them before buying elsewhere. 2t

Remember that Joseph wants to see you before Christmas. If you don't call an inspect the holiday goods you will always regret it. 2t

Cottage Addition Lots—Between School and Oak streets; cheapest lots left; four blocks north of the court house. tf

Before shipping your turkeys, chickens and poultry see B. A. Angle, buyer for the Bay City Poultry Co., San Francicso. 1t

Wanted—By a high school boy, a place to work for his board; or if not work enough will pay part board. Apply at this office.

The Presbyterian ladies' society will hold its regular exchange hereafter every Saturday at the lawn at the residence of Mrs. Francis E. Rea from 10 until 2. tf

Cut glass and hand painted china of various designs at Joseph's store. Drop around in the evening and see the display. The store will be open every evening until after Christmas.

For Sale—An Edison phonograph, only been used three or four times. Two horns and a number of records go with the machine. Inquire of Knox Boude in Senator Sanford's cottage, Ukiah.

John Patten has added an improvement to his popular refreshment parlors near the postoffice by installing a hot soda apparatus and is now prepared to serve hot chocolate, coffee, bouillon, etc. 1t

Say, did you know that Christmas was nearly here? Well, it is all right, and you had better begin to look around and see what you will buy. Joseph's is the best place to get the presents. 2t

Price Parker & Wilgus' fancy candy.

For fancy box candy see Parker & Wilgus.

Miss Lela Gibson is numbered among the sick.

Buy your fancy and box candy of Parker & Wilgus.

All kinds of plain and fancy candy at Parker & Wilgus'.

Miss Georgie Jackson is enrolled upon the sick list this week.

Miss Emma York has been seriously ill with the measles this week.

Parker & Wilgus have the largest stock of fancy box candy in town.

Ramona and Saronies' candies are the best, for sale by Parker & Wilgus.

Mrs. Mary Singley is over from Boonville visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Palmer.

Lost—Heart shaped key ring with a bunch of keys. Return to Dispatch office and receive a liberal reward.

Jim Rose and Verge Ornbaun came over from Boonville this week with a large load of turkeys for the holiday trade.

Rev. W. F. Binney, from Southern California, will fill the pulpit Sunday morning and evening at the Baptist church.

The crew that has been building the Largo bridge has removed to the site of the new bridge in Coyote valley and work has been begun on that structure.

The local Rebekah lodge will have a special meeting next Monday evening for the purpose of installing the officers for the ensuing term. All members are requested to turn out.

Mrs. J. H. Laughlin and daughter Rena returned this week from Pasadena where they have been for the past few months on a visit to Mrs. James who is a daughter of Mrs. Laughlin.

Ed Purdy, the popular Latyonville merchant, has sold his stock to the Northwestern Redwood company. It is reported that that big corporation will erect a big store and carry a $25,000 stock of general merchandise. Ed Purdy has opened a watch and clock repair shop and guarantees to do good work quickly and cheaply. —Covelo Review.

Last Saturday was the constable's busy day in Covelo. First the tenants on what is commonly known as the Eveland property were evicted under a writ of ejectment sent up from the sheriff's office. The case is entitled Hulme vs. Ben Haydon and is a relic of the famous White divorce case. It has been in court for the last six years and has been passed upon by the supreme court. The property is value at $7,500.—Covelo Review.

A Willits Catastrophe

Charles Whited had a plague of cats the other night. Felines to the number of half a dozen discovered a hole in the floor and entered the saloon. While cavorting and making night hideous they overturned and broke several bottles of whisky. The fumes of the liquor intoxicated the tabbies, and for awhile there was a wild orgy. The watchman called in as he imagined there was another "big eat." He found the cats in various compromising attitudes, and clubbed them out.—Little Lake Herald.

News From Point Arena

(From the Record.)

Mike Iversen is recovering from the effects of an accident he met with last week. Prying a board off his old dairy building, the nails gave away rather suddenly and the board struck Mr. Iversen in the face, cutting an ugly gash on the cheek and end of the nose.

Mrs. J. H. Schultze and three children left Saturday by steamer for San Francisco, where Mr. Schultze is going into the cigar business. These people have been at Gualala for the past eighteen years, the burning of the mill necessitating the seeking of a new home. We wish them well.

C. W. Myers, one of our oldest residents, died at his home near town at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning, December 11, 1906. The old gentleman was able to walk to town up to a few days before his death, and the natural wearing out of the human machinery through age was the cause of death. He passed peacefully away as in a deep sleep, suffering no pain. Christian William Myers was born in Wawgonfelt, Germany, on November 16, 1824. At the age of fifteen he left the fatherland and went to sea, arriving in California in 1849. He was a ship carpenter by trade and followed the sea for many years, until in 1861, he married in New York City, and six years later he came with his family to Point Arena.

Covelo Happenings

Covelo, Dec. 15.—The worst part of the big storm is now over and everybody is glad. The rain was badly needed. So far 9.65 inches of rain has fallen this season, the precipitation for the month being 7.30. There was considerable high water during the storm. The Eel river ferry sunk and the small boat went down stream. The ferry was raised after the storm, and travel can now be resumed down Eden valley way.

W. F. McClure has given up hope of finishing the Eel river bridge this winter. The recent storm carried away part of the false work, but the rest of the structure is held to the shore by wire cables. The bridge would have been completed long ago had it been possible to get the iron rods.

A big tree was blown across the road near Poonkinny by the big wind of last week, suspending traffic that way for awhile.

Mrs. Eliza Lightfoot came over from Oroville last week and will reside here during the winter.

J. H. Babcock was over from Laytonville recently to inspect the new Eel river bridge.

Amanda Leggett died on the 10th of the month at the age of 15 years.

A Christmas Spread

Mine Host Cosgrove intends to give the greatest dinner in the history of the town at the Cecille on Christmas. He will have an orchestra of five pieces to furnish music during the dining hour, and everything will be in swell array.

Will Give Free Ball

Posters are out announcing a grand ball by Court Mendocino No. 8227, A. O. F., to be given on New Year's eve. And it will be free. It has been the custom of the Foresters to appropriate the sum of $50 annually for a banquet, but this year the sum will be used to give a free dance.—Beacon.

Notice

Owing to the advance of the prices of all materials the blacksmiths of Ukiah and vicinity have been compelled to raise the prices of all work commencing with the first of the year. 2t

Furnished rooms and room and broard. Enquire at Mrs. Daley's, two doors north of the Dispatch office. 1t

Probate

In the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of John McMurry, deceased.

Notice for publication of time appointed for probate of will.

Notice is hereby given that Monday, the 7th day of January, A. D., 1907, at ten o'clock, a. m., of that day, and the court room of said court, at the court house, in the County of Mendocino, State of California, have been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said John McMurry, deceased, and for hearing the application of John R. LaRue for the issuance to him of letters testamentary thereon. And all persons interested in said estate are notified to then and there show cause, if any they have, why said will should not be admitted to probate, and letters testamentary thereon issued to said petitioner.

HALE McCOWEN,
County Clerk.
By C. H. White, Deputy Clerk.
Robert Duncan, Attorney for Petitioner.
Dated December 20th, 1906. 3t

J. B. Ahern picked up a pair of gloves containing money Sunday. Call on him and prove ownership.

Probate

In the Superior Court of the State of California, County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of W. H. Hodghead, deceased.

Order to show cause on sale of real estate.

It having appeared to the satisfaction of the said court, from the verified petition of John S. Hodghead, as administrator of the estate of W. H. Hodghead, deceased, that it is necessary to sell the real estate asked to be sold in said petition, to pay the allowance made by the court to the family of said deceased, and the debts, expenses and charges of the administration of his estate, and said petition having been filed with the clerk of this court;

It is ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said decedent by, and they are hereby directed to appear before the court, at the court room thereof, at Ukiah, county of Mendocino, state of California, on the 21st day of January, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause why an order should not be granted to said administrator to sell the real property of the estate of said decedent as asked for, as shall be found necessary, at public or private sale, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four sucessive weeks in the Dispatch-Democrat, a newspaper printed and published in said County of Mendocino, in this state.

Dated Ukiah, December 14th, 1906.
J. Q. WHITE, Judge.
B. L. Hodghead, Attorney for Administrator. 5t

ADVERTISEMENT AND NOTICE

Fort Bragg Electric company, a corporation, duly incorporated under the laws of the State of California, and having its principal place of business at Fort Bragg, in Mendocino county, California, having on the 30th day of Augut,s 1906, made and filed with this board its application for a franchise to be made to said Fort Bragg Electric company, a corporation, and to run to said corporation, its successors and assigns, for the term of fifty years from the date of said franchise, to erect and maintain a wire line and to erect poles and string wires and other appliances thereon, for the transmitting and conducting of electricity for heat, power, light and other useful and necessary purposes, and telegraph and telephone lines incidental thereto and in connection therewith, along and over those certain public highways in Mendocino county, State of California, and along and over the streets, highways, roads and alleys in those certain towns hereinafter named in said Mendocino county, State of California, to-wit:

1. Beginning at a point where the public highway leading from Fort Bragg to Westport intersects the north line of the city limits of Fort Bragg, thence northerly along the county coast road, being the present traveled road along the coast of Mendocino county, to the village of Cleone, thence through the village of Cleone and along the county coast road to the northerly boundary line of the County of Mendocino.

2. Beginning at a point where the public highway leading from Fort Bragg to Mendocino intersects the south line of the city limits of the City of Fort Bragg, thence southerly along the county coast road, being the present traveled road along the coast of Mendocino county, to the village of Mendocino, thence through the village of Mendocino and along the county coast road to the village of Whitesboro.

3rd. Beginning at a point on the public highway leading from Fort Bragg to Sherwood where such highway intersects the east line of the city limits of the City of Fort Bragg, thence easterly along the said county road to the easterly boundary line of the Fourth Supervisorial district.

4th. The public highways, streets, alleys, and avenues in the village of Mendocino.

5th. The public highways, streets, alleys, and avenues in the village of Caspar.

6th. The public highways, streets, alleys, and avenues in the village of Westport.

7th. The public highways, streets, alleys, and avenues in the village of Albion.

8th. The public highway running from the coast county road easterly along the north side of Pudding creek from its intersection with the county coast road to the easterly end of said public highway.

9th. The public highway leaving the county coast road between the Noyo river and Hare creek and running easterly between the Noyo river and Hare creek from its intersection with the county coast road for a distance of ten miles on said public highway.

Notice is hereby given of the fact of such application and that it is proposed to grant the same.

Notice is further given that written bids will be received for said franchise up to the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., on

MONDAY, THE 4th DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1907,

and at the same time at the office of the Board of Supervisors in the court house in the Town of Ukiah City, County of Mendocino, State of California, said bids will be opened and the said franchise will be struck off, sold and awarded to the person, firm or corporation, who shall make the highest bid therefor, provided, only, that at the time of the opening of said bids any responsible person, firm or corporation present or represented may bid for said franchise, a sum not less than ten per cent above the highest sealed bid therefor, and said bid so made may be raised not less than ten per cent by any other responsible bidder, and said bidding may continue until finally said franchise shall be struck off, sold and awarded by said Board of Supervisors to the highest bidder therefor, in cash, gold coin of the United States. Each sealed bid shall be accompanied with cash or a certified check payable to the treasurer of Mendocino county for the full amount of said bid, and no sealed bid shall be considered unless said cash or check is inclosed therewith.

The character of the franchise proposed to be granted is as above set forth, to-wit: For the erection and maintainance of a wire line, and to erect poles and string wires and other appliances thereon, for the transmitting and conducting of electricity for heat, power, light and other purposes, and telegraph and telephone lines incidential thereto along and over the highways, streets, roads, alleys, and avenues hereinbefore fully set fortl., and the term for which it is proposed to be granted is fifty years.

Notice is further given that the successful bidder must during the life of such franchise pay to the said County of Mendocino two per cent of the gross annual receipts of the person, partnership, firm or corporation, to whom the franchise is awarded, arising from its use, operation or possession. No percentage shall be paid for the first five years succeeding the date of the franchise but thereafter such payments shall be payable annually.

The said franchise shall be awarded to the highest bidder.

Notice is further given that the successful bidder for said franchise shall file a bond running to said County of Mendocino, with at least two good and sufficient sureties to be approved by the Board of Supervisors, in the penal sum of $500, conditioned that such bidder shall well and truly observe, fulfill and perform each and every term and condition of said franchise, and that in case of any breach of condition of such bond, the whole amount of the penal sum therein named shall be taken and deemed to be liquidated damages, and shall be recoverable from the principal and sureties upon said bond.

This advertisement and notice shall be published in the Dispatch-Democrat, a weekly newspaper printed and published in the Town of Ukiah City, Mendocino county, California, for four successive weeks.

M. L. GIBSON,
Chairman Board of Supervisors, Mendocino County, State of California.
Attest: Hale McCowen, Clerk.
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Dividend Notice

The Board of Directors of the Savings Bank of Mendocino County has declared a semi-annual dividend on its savings deposits for the six months ending December 31, 1906, at the rate of 3½ per cent per annum, payable on and after January 2, 1907.

J. H. BARKER, President.
Arthur L. Tracy, Secretary. 4t

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As You Please.

In the ancient times there lived a wonderfully wise man, of whom it was said that he could answer correctly any question put to him. There was one, however, who thought himself clever enough to outwit the sage. This man took a poor, captive bird and clasped it so closely in his hand that only the head and tail were visible.

"Tell me," said he to the renowned guesser of riddles, "is the bird which I hold in my hand alive or dead?"

If the answer were "Dead," thought this artful plotter, he would just open his hand and let the bird fly. If the answer were "Alive," he would with one little squeeze crush the poor bird to death.

But the wise man proved himself equal to the occasion and replied, "It is as you please."

Each one holds within his or her grasp the fair bird of life. Which is it to be? A blessing or a bane? It is "as you please."

Pressed to Death.

An English court has sentenced a woman to imprisonment because she refused to speak during a trial. The old penalty for remaining mute under similar conditions was being pressed to death. The form of sentence set forth "the prisoner shall be laid in some low, dark house, where he shall lie naked on the earth and one arm shall be drawn to one quarter of the house with a cord and the other arm to another quarter, and in the same manner let it be done with his legs, and let there be laid upon his body iron and stone, as much as he can bear—or more." There the man had to lie. On the following day he was given three morsels of bread without water, on the following water, but no bread. And this was his diet until he died.

Great Discovery.

The editor of a Kansas paper states that he once borrowed a Winchester rifle and started up the street a few days after to deliver the weapon to its owner. The delinquent subscribers got it into their heads that he was on the warpath, and every one he met insisted on paying what he owed him. One man wiped out a debt of ten years' standing. On his return to his office he found a load of hay, fifteen bushels of corn, ten bushels of potatoes, a load of wood and a barrel of turnips that had been brought in. We would like to borrow a Winchester for a day or two. —St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

A Disadvantage of Health.

A visitor among the poor of the east end of London found unexpected testimony to the disadvantages of health in one of his calls. Mrs. B. had a family of a dozen children, and, like most of her class, she had her tale of woe to tell. "How are the children, Mrs. B.?" inquired the caller. "All very well, indeed, sir; very well, indeed," was the answer. "You ought to be thankful, I'm sure, with so much sickness about." "Yes, sir; I suppose I ought to be thankful; but, I tell you, when they're well they eat an awful lot."

A Horse and a Cow.

When in my teens, milking seven cows morning and evening and toiling on the farm all day, I made favorites of a bay mare and a Durham cow—Molly and Bess. Talk about your physical sympathy! Why, it was pathetic. Molly was my saddle horse, a single footer of rare excellence. I could ride her with one finger on the reins into the most forbidding places. Old Bess—oh, she used to kick a tooth out once in awhile and put her foot in the pail of milk, but the dear girl would follow me about with the affection of a child! Well, I was absent from the old home five years and returning found that of all the animals only Molly and Bess remained. Imagine my distress when Molly refused to notice me at all! While wondering at this loss of friendship I felt a warm, rasplike thing going over my hand, which was behind my back. Turning, I saw dear old Bess. Without notice she had come to lick me. If ever animal spoke with eyes and manner she did. Her happiness at seeing me again after so long a period was apparent to all observers, and during my brief stay at home it was all I could do to keep her from following me into the house. —New York Press.

No "Deadhead" Trip.

One of the most famous of American shipping lines in the palmy days of our marine was the Cope line, which ran between Philadelphia and Liverpool, says the author of "Memoirs of Charles H. Cramp." By this line John Randolph of Roanoke determined to go to Russia when he had been appointed minister to that country by President Jackson. Entering the office of the company in Philadelphia, he said to a clerk in his usual grandiloquent manner:

"Sir, I wish to see Thomas P. Cope."

He was shown to Mr. Cope's office.

"I am John Randolph of Roanoke," he said. "I wish to take passage to Liverpool in one of your ships."

If he expected to be tendered a pass he was grievously disappointed.

"I am Thomas Cope," replied the head of the line. "If thee goes aboard the ship and selects thy stateroom and will pay $150 thee may go."

A Timely Shake.

Some years ago the Duke of Connaught visited Japan and was taken by Sir Edwin Arnold round the bazars of Tokyo, where he bought many curious toys and specimens of Japanese art. In the evening he remarked to Sir Edwin that he had seen most of the sights, but had not experienced any of the earthquakes which are so common in Japan.

"I suppose you cannot show me one?" said the duke jestingly.

Immediately the house shook, the chandelier swayed backward and forward, the china and glass on the table rattled, and the door burst open.

"Why, Sir Edwin, you are a magician!" remarked the duke as the shock, which had happened at so curious a moment, subsided.

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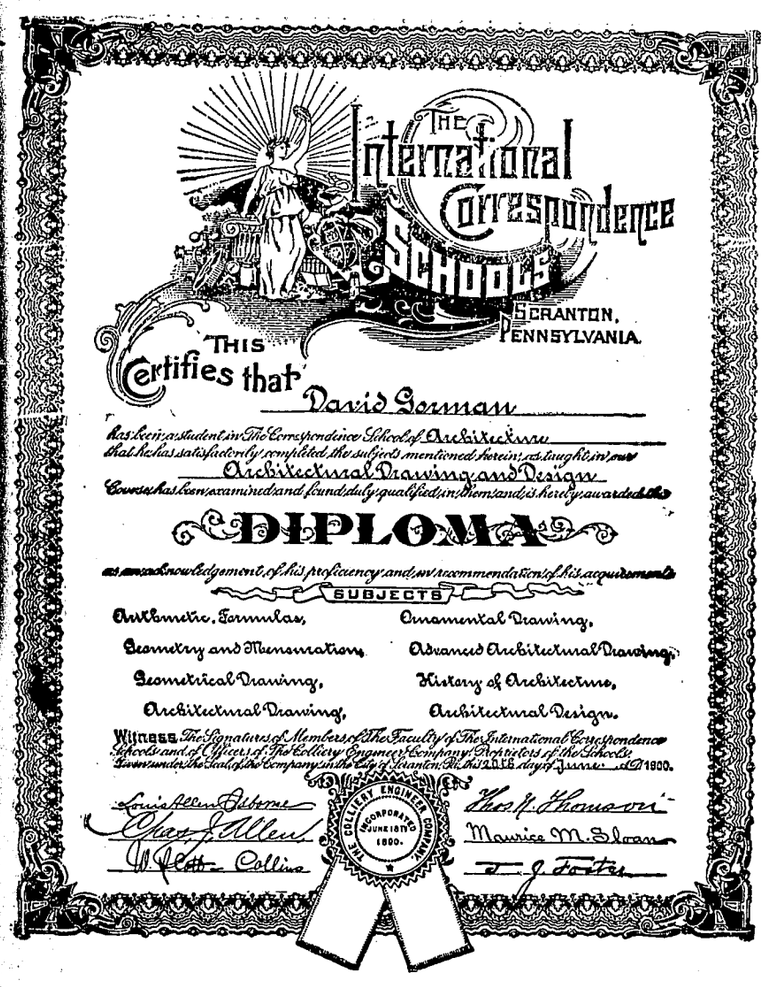

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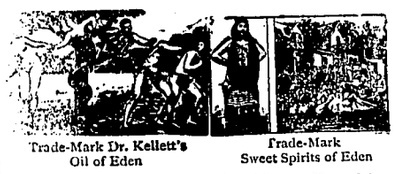
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Notice to Creditors

Estate of W. H. Hogshead, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, John S. Hogshead, Administrator of the estate of said deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten (10) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Administrator at his office at the southeast corner of Oak and Standley streets, Ukiah, Mendocino county, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the county of Mendocino, state of California.

JOHN S. HOGSHEAD,
Administrator of the Estate of W. H. Hogshead, Deceased.
Dated at Ukiah September 17, 1906.

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JOHN S. HODGHEAD,
Administrator of the Estate of W. H. Hodghead, Deceased.
Dated at Ukiah, Nov. 15, 1906.

Notice to Creditors

Estate of John I. Cunningham, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator and administratrix of the estate of said deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator and administratrix at the office of their attorneys, Thomas, Pemberton & Thomas, at Ukiah, Cal, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the County of Mendocino, State of California.

Dated October 20th, 1906.
ELLA CUNNINGHAM,
Administratrix,
E. L. CUNNINGHAM,
Administrator of the estate of John I. Cunningham, deceased.
Thomas, Pemberton & Thomas, Attorneys for Estate.

Sheriff's Sale

Notice of Sale of Real Estate Under Execution.

Isaac Johnson, plaintiff, vs. Adolph Holkunen and Peata Holkunen, his wife, defendants.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, of the State of California, wherein Isaac Johnson is plaintiff, and Adolph Holkunen and Peata Holkunen, his wife, are defendants, upon a judgment rendered the 14th day of September, A. D., 1906 for the sum of forty-six and ninety-five one-hundredths dollars, United States gold coin, besides costs and interest, I have this day levied upon all the right, title, claim, and interest of said defendants, Adolph Holkunen and Peata Holkunen, his wife, of, in and to the following described real estate, to-wit:

South half of northwest quarter, northwest quarter of northwest quarter, northeast quarter of southwest quarter, section 22, township 16, north of range 15 west, M. D. M., in Mendocino County, California.

Public notice is hereby given that I will, on

SATURDAY, THE 29th DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D., 1906, AT 10 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

of said day, in front of the court house door of the County of Mendocino, at Ukiah, sell at public auction, for United States gold coin, all the right, title, claim, and interest of said defendants, Adolph Holkunen and Peata Holkunen, his wife, of, in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder.

Dated Ukiah, this 21st day of November, 1906.
D. M. GIBSON, Sheriff.

A relief map is the only map that gives one a proper conception of the topography of a county. The Dispatch relief map of Mendocino county is the only one issued. Subscribe for the paper and get one.

If you want a sack of good, smooth cooking potatoes call at C. Hofman's.

Order to Show Cause

In the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of T. J. Lamb, Deceased.

Order to show cause why order of sale of real estate should not be granted.

It appearing to this court by the verified petition this day presented and filed by E. T. Lamb, the administrator of the estate of T. J. Lamb, deceased, that it is necessary to sell the whole or some portion of the real estate of said decedent to pay the debts of said decedent, and expenses and charges of administration, and also that it is to the advantage and best interest of the said estate and all those interested therein that certain real property belonging to said estate be sold.

It is therefore ordered by this court that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before the said superior court on Monday, the 31st day of December, A. D., 1906, at the hour of 10 o'clock, A. M., of said day at the court room of said court at at the court house in the town of Ukiah City, County of Mendocino, State of California, to show cause why an order should not be granted to said administrator to sell so much of the said real estate as shall be necessary, and that a copy of this order be published four successive weeks in the Dispatch-Democrat, a weekly newspaper printed and published in the said Mendocino County.

J. Q. WHITE,
Judge of said Superior Court.
Dated November 20th, 1906.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of William O'Neill, Deceased. No. 1818.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Annie O'Neill, administratrix of the estate of said deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix at her residence, Elk postoffice, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the county of Mendocino, State of California.

First publication December 7, 1906.
Dated Ukiah, December 5, 1906.
ANNIE O'NEILL,
Administratrix of Estate of Wm. O'Neill, Deceased.
J. C. Ruddock, Ukiah, Attorney for Administratrix.

HIGHLAND CROFTERS.

How They Lived In the Middle of the Last Century.

In the middle of the last century the crofters in the west highlands seldom saw money and never needed it. They erected for themselves huts mostly built of turf, floored with clay and roofed with heather. They kept a few cattle, goats and sheep, which grazed at will on the open hillside and provided them with milk and wool. They lived a truly simple life, and their needs were few. They grew oats for their own food and potatoes, which formed their other chief article of diet. Tea was an unknown luxury. It was by no means uncommon to find persons who had never tasted it. Wheaten bread had never been seen in those parts. Their clothes were made from the fleeces of their own sheep, spun and woven by the good wives during the long winter nights and dyed from the simple dyes made from the lichens which grew on the stems of trees or on the bowlders of rock in the neighborhood. The whisky they drank came from secret stills on the hillside and had never paid excise. The nearest parish church was often many miles away. No school was there for the children. Very few of them, indeed, could read or write. Still fewer had ever heard a word of English spoken. Their spiritual needs, however, were not neglected, for they received constant visits from the "men," as they were called, who had constituted themselves the spiritual guides of their neighborhood. —Blackwood's Magazine.

Old Time Floggings.

An act of the time of Queen Elizabeth ordained that vagrants were to be "stripped from the middle upward and whipped till the body is bloody." Fourpence each was the recognized charge made by the "whipman" for every male and female vagrant who passed through his hands, but on special occasions this sum was exceeded. Says the constable's account of Great Staughton, Huntingdonshire: "May, 1691.—Paid in charges taking up a distracted woman, watching her and whipping her next day, 8 shillings 6 pence." After whipping people according to the statute the authorities sometimes gave them a letter recommending constables and others "to be as charitable as the law permits."

The Mind's Eye.

It will probably be news to most people to hear that rudimentary traces of a third eye exist among all vertebrates, including man. In the human race the third eye forms part of the pineal gland, a small mass about the size of a pea in almost the very center of the brain. Possibly, therefore, there was more actual truth in the well known expression "the mind's eye" than its originator dreamed of.

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Probate Notice

In the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of Matie McPhee, deceased.

Alias Citation of Application to Revoke Probate of Will.

To Eliza Willard, Nettie Barrager and the unknown heirs of Jennie Williams, deceased, devisees and legatees, and to all the heirs at law of said deceased:

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in the above entitled court by Alta McPhee, a daughter and heir at law of said deceased, to revoke the probate of will of Matie McPhee, deceased, and you are cited to appear in said court on the 25th day of February, A. D., 1907, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., of said day, and show cause, if any you can, why the probate of said will should not be revoked.

Dated this 6th day of December, 1906.

HALE McCOWEN,
(Seal.) Clerk of said Court.
J. W. Preston, Attorney for Contestant. 2m

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UKIAH, CALIFORNIA, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1906.

A Change of Policy

Editor Cavanagh has decided that a newspaper does too much charity work and in future is going to run his plant on business principles. He hits the nail on the head in the following truthful article:

From now on the Advocate will be conducted on a strictly business plan, the same as the merchant uses in conducting a successful store. We have been generous, and in so doing, have given away hundreds of dollars worth of advertising, but we have come to the conclusion, after an experience of many years, that the more a man in the newspaper business gives away, the less he is thought of and the more he is imposed on. We have run double column programs, taking up a column of space or over, time and again, not charging for the same, and the same can be said of many other kinds of advertisements that we have given away week after week and month afer month, some of the favored ones not even taking the paper. But all such nonsense ceases from now on, and in the future if you want to bring an entertainment or any other advertising scheme before the public step up and pay for it, the same as you do when you buy an article in the store. We have given the people of Fort Bragg a printing plant that is a credit to Mendocino county, and we believe it is the duty of the people of this city to help to pay for it.

During the past few months all kinds of paper has advanced considerable in price, but we have not raised a cent in job work. We have been beat, however, so much on this kind of work that in the future job work must be paid for as soon as completed, with the exception of the business houses in town.

In the future don't have the gall to ask us to run your ads for nothing. We have to pay our bills the first of every month—at least we make a stagger at it. Suppose you do the same.

STATE VOTE TABULATED

Secretary of State Curry has now tabulated the vote cast ta the recent election. It presents some interesting figures for study. Theodore A. Bell is defeated for governor by the small plurality of 8242. He has certainly made one of the most remarkable runs ever made in the history of the state, and although defeated he ran on an average of 64,000 votes ahead of the rest of the state ticket. This has all the moral effects of victory and Theodore Bell is not dead. The people now realize what he is and will rally to his standard stronger than ever now that they see there is some hope for him. The difficult thing during the campaign was to convince the people that Bell had a chance. Now they can see he had a chance despite the fact that all the big dailies were against him, the people will rally to his standard four years hence and elect him governor by a large majority.

According to Secretary Curry's figures California has given the Republican state ticket outside of governor an average majority of 72,262.

The vote in detail is as follows:

Governor:—
Gillett, Republican, 125,887.
Bell, Democrat, 117,615.
Lewis, Socialist, 16,036.
Blanchard, Prohibition, 7,355.
Langdon, Independent, 45,008.

Lieutenant-Governor:—
Porter, Republican, 133,990.
Toland, Democrat, 108,493.
Wheat, Socialist, 16,831.
Whitmore, Prohibition, 7,395.
Blagge, Independent, 35,187.

Associate Justice—Full Term:—
Lorigan, Republican, 147,390.
Henshaw, Republican, 145,778.
Murasky, Democrat, 112,710.
Hatch, Democrat, 86,236.
Liess, Socialist, 17,515.
Andrew, Socialist, 17,515.
Farrer, Independent, 25,050.

Associate Justice, Unexpired Term:—
Sloss, Republican, 148,049.
Craig, Democrat, 79,889.
Fletcher, Socialist, 17,409.
Mills, Independent, 24,505.

Secretary of State:—
Curry, Republican, 168,280.
Nicholls, Democrat, 79,669.
Holloway, Socialist, 17,287.
Beck, Prohibitionist, 7,058.
Swain, Independent, 24,068.

Controller:—
Colgan, Republican, 196,407.
Markley, Democrat, 79,470.
Philbrick, Socialist, 17,344.
Taynton, Prohibition, 6,956.

Treasurer:—
Williams, Republican, 151,652.
Bayley, Democrat, 80,547.
Reynolds, Socialist, 17,375.
Vail, Prohibition, 6,929.
Haskell, Union Labor, 12,619.
Tedford, Independent, 24,471.

Attorney-General:—
Webb, Republican, 151,306.
Morton, Democrat, 94,991.
Dowing, Socialist, 17,258.
McCaslin, Prohibition, 6,747.
Williams, Independent, 24,321.

Surveyor-General:—
Kingbsury, Republican, 161,307.
Lane, Democrat, 82,551.
Matthews, Socialist, 17,321.
Kendall, Prohibition, 6,818.
Chapman, Independent, 24,365.

Clerk Supreme Court:—
Caughey, Republican, 150,046.
Haybl, Democrat, 91,956.
Wilde, Socialist, 17,437.
Fassett, Prohibition, 6,964.
Rainey, Independent, 24,515.

Supt. Public Instruction:—
Hyatt, Republican, 173,728.
Williams, Democrat, 96,183.
Smith, Socialist, 17,228.
Meads, Prohibition, 6,839.

Supt. State Printing:—
Shannon, Republican, 163,197.
Woodman, Democrat, 80,693.
Garrett, Socialist, 17,414.
Phillips, Prohibition, 6,936.
Collins, Independent, 24,054.

Representative in Congress:—
McKinlay, Republican, 23,411.
Beard, Democrat, 20,262.

Board of Equalization:—
Collins, Republican, 33,982.
Nutting, Democrat, 23,575.

Railroad Commissioner:—
Irwin, Republican, 41,127.
Peters, Democrat, 25,052.

Court of Appeal, 1st Dist.—Presiding Justice:—
J. A. Cooper, Democrat, 49,030.
Carroll Cook, Republican, 46,457.

Third District, Presiding Justice:—
J. W. Hughes, Democrat, 41,880.
N. P. Chipman, Republican, 46,879.

Associate Justices:—
Hart, Republican, 56,560.
Burnett, Republican, 49,762.
McLaughlin, Democrat, 42,242.
Cowan, Democrat, 33,744.

State Senator, 4th Dist:—
Sanford, Democrat, 4,646.
Hammond, Republican, 3,756.

The total vote polled in the state was, for governor, 311,931. Ed Colgan polled the largest vote of any one running, receiving 196,407 votes, a great tribute to the man.

Notice to Patrons

I am compelled to increase the price of milk on account of the increased price of feed. Following is the schedule of prices to become effective Saturday, December 1, 1906: 1 pint daily, $1.50 per month 2 pints daily, $2.50 per month; 3 pints daily, $3 per month; 2 quarts daily, $3.50 per month; 2½ quarts daily, $4.25 per month; 3 quarts daily, $5 per month: 4 quarts daily, $6 per month. Louis Hildreth. 4 t

Card of Thanks

I take this method of thanking the many friends who so greatly assisted me by kind deeds and words of cheer and encouragement during the sickness and death of my beloved father.
JIMMIEE HUGHES and Relatives.

To Let—Two horses for their keep for two months. Inquire of Knox Boude Ukiah.

EIGHT CARRY, SIX DEFEATED

Below will be found a list of the constitutional amendments that were adopted at the recent election:

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No 5, relative to the exemption of the Coggswell College from taxation.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 11, relating to the salary of supreme and appellate court judges.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 13, relating to places where bonds may be sold.

Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 14, relating to the forming of new city charters.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 2, relating to the terms of office in municipalities.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 33, relating to the loaning of public money.

Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 12, permitting the cities of San Francisco and San Jose to issue bonds for seventy-five years.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS AT WENDLING

Wendling, Dec. 17.—It has been so long since this little burg was heard from that people will begin to think we have ceased to exist, but we are all here nevertheless.

Carl Bachem, who has been keeping books for the Stearns Lumber company, left Friday for Point Arena where he has a better position.

Joe Dehaven had a bad fall Sunday night throwing his arm out of place. He has not been able to do any work since the accident.

Life Ball from Albion was in town Monday on business.

The Albion woods crew seem to mean business from the noise they are making just below here.

Walter Day, of Christine, was in town Monday on business.

Nearly all of the boys from here are intending to spend Christmas in the city.

The mill is now running at a good clip, cutting from 50,000 to 60,000 feet per day. PIONEER.

HEAVY STORM ON THE COAST

A rain and wind storm of unusual violence visited the coast from the south last Monday morning. From 8:30 a. m. until nearly noon shingles and lumber could be seen flying in the air and pedestrians had difficulty in traversing the streets. Several windmills fared badly and the lumber yard looked as if a Kansas cyclone had struck it. The tracks became clogged and the cars could not be run, necessitating the closing down of the mill for half a day.

The storm was felt at Greenwood in all its fury. The incline running from the yard to the landing was lifted up and laid on the bank intact. The Valenti barn and the company's barn were blown down; a section of the L. E. White Lumber company's store front was blown in; a large part of one side of the mill roof was blown off. The report also came in that the wind turned over the stage running to Boonville. Along the county roads fences and telephone poles were down for a couple of miles out of Greenwood. A. N. Nolan's barn went flat to the ground and exposed a big lot of hay to the elements.

E. W. Dillingham's barn on Navarro ridge blew down.

The weather prophets along the coast to Elk say that this is the worst storm that we shall have this winter.

A letter to H. H. Brown from his son Leslie, who is an employee of the Acme Lumber company, said that the storm was so severe in his section of the city that everybody ceased labor and went home for the day. Leslie expects to be home for the holidays.—Beacon.

Examination Questions

On one of the inside pages of today's paper will be found some of the questions propounded by the board of education at the examination of the applicants for certificates last week. The applicants agree that as a whole the examination was a fair and practical one. Look at the questions and recall your school days by trying to answer them.

Candy Given Away

On Saturday, December 22, Santa Claus will leave a bag of candy for every boy and girl in Ukiah and vicinity at Jamison Brothers' store. Come and get your candy.

Lost—Two hounds, one black bitch and one black and tan dog. Left two weeks ago. Return to E. M. Ford and receive reward. 3t

TO PLANT TREES ON DENUDED LANDS

The Union Lumber company, of Fort Bragg, is advocating a system of tree planting that should appeal to everyone who is in favor of retaining the splendidly forested hills of Imperial Mendocino. That company has made application to the state forester, through its president, for plans for planting eucalyptus trees on its 30,000 acres of land that has been cut over and is now laying idle. State Forester Lull will undertake the work of furnishing the plans, and it is an interesting fact that this is the first time in the history of California that the forester has done this. Heretofore the plans have all been provided by the forest service at Washington.

All the great lumber companies in California appreciate the situation that the lands over which they have cut can be put to some commercial value by planting trees that have a fast growth, and at the same time can be used for commercial purposes. The state forester will shortly go to the company's tract, and after making experiments will draw up the plans for planting and the kind of trees to use. This will be an experiment, and at first only a small tract will be planted.

At the present rate of cutting it is estimated that the redwood forests will have disappeared in a few years, but the government has now taken steps in conjunction with the state to prevent this happening by a system of complete reforestation.—Little Lake Herald.

Card of Thanks

We, the undersigned, desire to extend our sincere and heartfelt thanks to all who so kindly assisted us in any way during the illness and death of our beloved son and brother.
MRS. E. L. CLARK and Family.

Dog Lost—$5 Reward

Disappeared November 6th, small black cocker spaniel, with spot on breast. Finder return to Patten's candy store.

APPLICATION FOR FRANCHISE

Charles L. Dearborn, of Melburne, Mendocino county, California, having on the 3rd day of December, 1906, made and filed with this board his application for a franchise to be made to him, Charles L. Dearborn, and to run to him, his successors and assigns, for the term of fifty years from the date of said franchise, to erect and maintain a wire line, and to erect poles and string wires and other appliances thereon for maintaining and conducting telephone and telegraph lines along and over those certain public highways in Mendocino county, State of California, and along and over the streets, highways, roads, and alleys, in those certain towns hereinafter named in said Mendocino county, State of California, to wit:

1. Beginning at a point where the public highway leading from Ukiah to Mendocino via Orr's springs intersects the west line of city limits of Ukiah, thence westerly along the county road through Orr's springs, being the present traveled road between Ukiah and Mendocino, to the village of Mendocino.

2. The public highways, streets, alleys, and avenues in the village of Mendocino.

Notice is hereby given of the fact of such application and that it is proposed to grant the same.

Notice is further given that written bids will be received for said franchise up to the hour of

10 A. M. OF TUESDAY, THE 29TH OF JANUARY, 1907,

and at said time at the offices of the board of supervisors, in the court house, in town of Ukiah City, County of Mendocino, State of California, said bids will be opened and the said franchise will be struck off, sold and awarded to the person, firm or corporation who shall make the highest cash bid therefor, provided, only, that at the time of opening said bids, any responsible person, firm or corporation present, or represented, may bid for such franchise a sum not less than ten per cent above the highest sealed bid therefor, and said bid so made may be raised not less than ten per cent by any other responsible bidder, and said bidding may continue until finally said franchise shall be struck off, sold and awarded by said board of supervisors to the highest bidder therefor in cash, gold coin of the United States. Each sealed bid shall be accompanied with cash or a certified check payable to the treasurer of Mendocino county for the full amount of said bid, and no sealed bid shall be considered unless said cash or check is enclosed therewith.

The character of the franchise proposed to be granted is as above set forth, to-wit: For the erection and maintaining of a wire line, and to erect poles, and string wires and other appliances thereon for maintaining and conducting telephone and telegraph lines along and over the highways, streets, roads, alleys, and avenues hereinbefore fully set forth, and the term for which it is proposed to be granted is fifty years.

Notice is further given that the successful bidder must during the life of this franchise pay to the said County of Mendocino two per cent of the gross annual receipts of the person, firm, partnership, or corporation, to whom the franchise is awarded, arising from its use, operation or possession. No percentage shall be paid for the first five years succeeding the date of the franchise, but thereafter such payments shall be payable annually.

The said franchise shall be awarded to the highest bidder.

Notice is further given that the successful bidder for said franchise shall file a bond running to said County of Mendocino, with at least two good and sufficient sureties, to be approved by said board of supervisors in the penal sum of $500, conditioned that such bidder will well and truly observe, fulfill and perform each and every term and condition of such franchise, and that in case of any breach of condition of such bond, the whole amount of the penal sum therein named, shall be taken and deemed to be liquidated damages and shall be recoverable from the principal and sureties upon said bond.

This advertisement and notice shall be published in the Dispatch-Democrat, a weekly newspaper printed and published in the Town of Ukiah City, Mendocino County, California, for four successive weeks.

M. L. GIBSON,
Chairman Board of Supervisors, Mendocino County, State of California.

Attest: Hale McCowen, Clerk.
E. R. Fairbanks, Deputy Clerk.
Dated this December 4, 1906. 4t

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